

In re Application of: Grabowski et al
Application No. 10/088,966
Filed: March 22, 2002
For: NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES FOR THE DETECTION BACTERIA AND PHYLOGENETIC UNITS OF BACTERIA

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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

- ☐ Small entity status is claimed for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ Petition for an extension of time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.
- ☒ Other: Return Receipt Postcard
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TIME EXTENSION PETITION FEE				three-month	\$ 0.00		\$1,020.00		
		subtract time extension fee previously paid		none	(\$ 0.00)		(\$ 0.00)		
CLAIM FEE		CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADD'L CLAIM FEE	RATE	ADD'L CLAIM FEE
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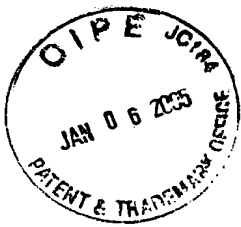
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- ☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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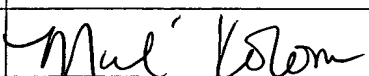
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 15, 2004, please consider the following remarks.

<i>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8</i>			
I hereby certify that this Response to Office Action and all accompanying documents are, on the date indicated below, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, or <input type="checkbox"/> being facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Attention: Examiner Art Unit Facsimile Number			
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